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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the specification and claims of the patent application of:

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Title of Invention: IMPROVED HAIR SPRAY AND CONSUMER SPRAYS WITH REDUCED VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

Also enclosed are:

1	SHEET OF	<input type="checkbox"/> FORMAL DRAWINGS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INFORMAL DRAWINGS
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	A PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT		
	A VERIFIED STATEMENT TO ESTABLISH SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.9 AND §1.27		
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TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =	\$1,570.00
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Respectfully submitted,

  
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